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Patent Application of

Thomas R. Chapman

Application No. 10/764,283

Confirmation No.: 9682

Filed: January 23, 2004

Examiner: Devin J. Hanan

"CENTRIFUGAL BLOWER"

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

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Respectfully submitted,

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RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT

Mail Stop AMENDMENT Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This Response and Amendment is filed in response to the Office Action dated October 31, 2005. Please amend the present application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 13 of this paper.